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TAGS: SENV UR US

SUBJ: EPSTEIN LETTER

1. A MONTH AGO A LETTER WAS RECEIVED BY THE SOVIETS FROM EPSTEIN PROPOSING A SHORT FIVE-DAY MEETING IN MAY DURING WHICH COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF ATMOSPHERIC OPTICS WOULD BE CARRIED OUT. THIS PROPOSAL IS BEING REJECTED. IT IS SUGGESTED THAT THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY TAKE PLACE IN 1976.

2. THE REASONS FOR THE REJECTION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

(A) THIS PROPOSAL IS NEW AND IS NOT PART OF ANY EXISTING MEMORANDUM; (B) WORK VERY SIMILAR TO THE ONE PROPOSED IS ALREADY SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE THIS YEAR. IT HAS BEEN AGREED BETWEEN BORISENKO AND MARTINEAU TO CARRY OUT A JOINT RESEARCH ACTIVITY ON ATMOSPHERIC AEROSOLS NEAR KURSK THIS SUMMER FOR A PERIOD OF 1.5 MONTHS. THIS ACTIVITY, TO BE CARRIED OUT IN JUNE AND JULY DOES APPEAR IN THE PROTOCOL.

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